



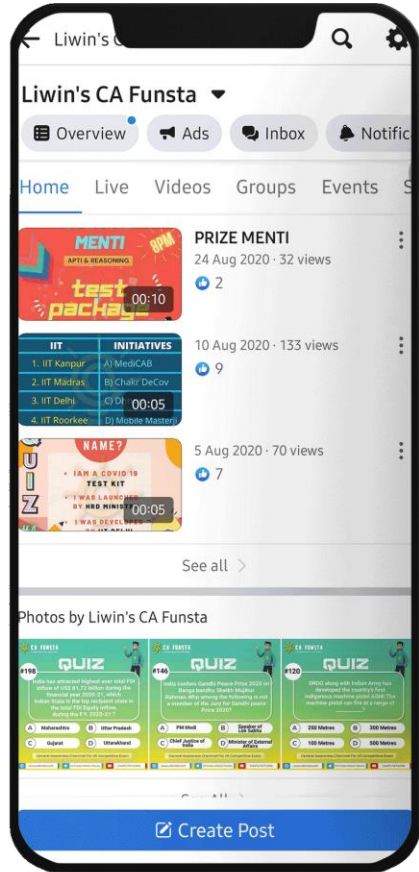
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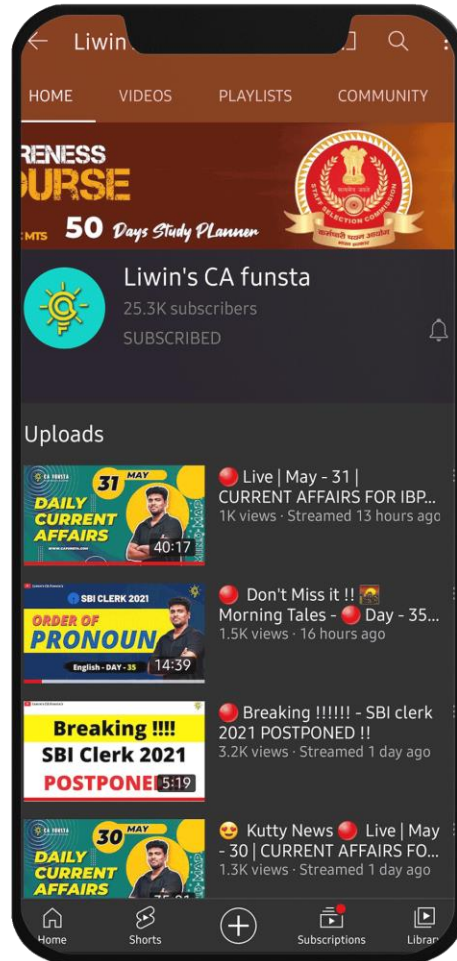
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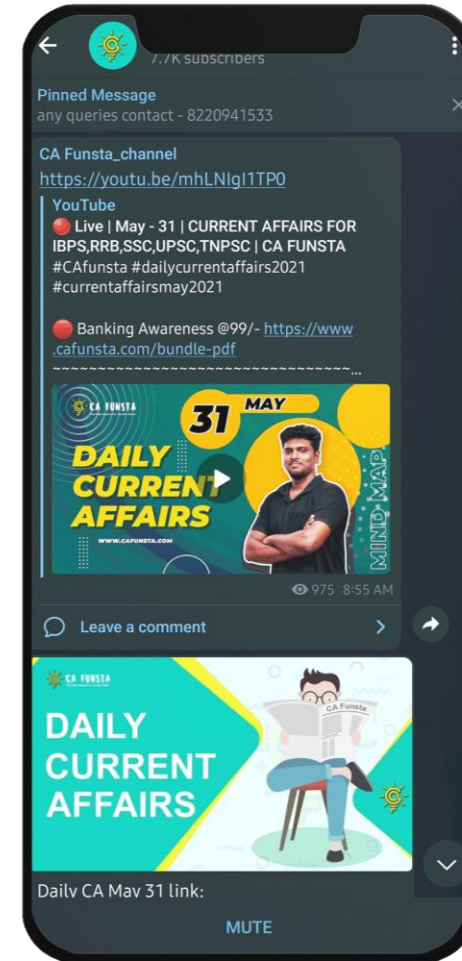
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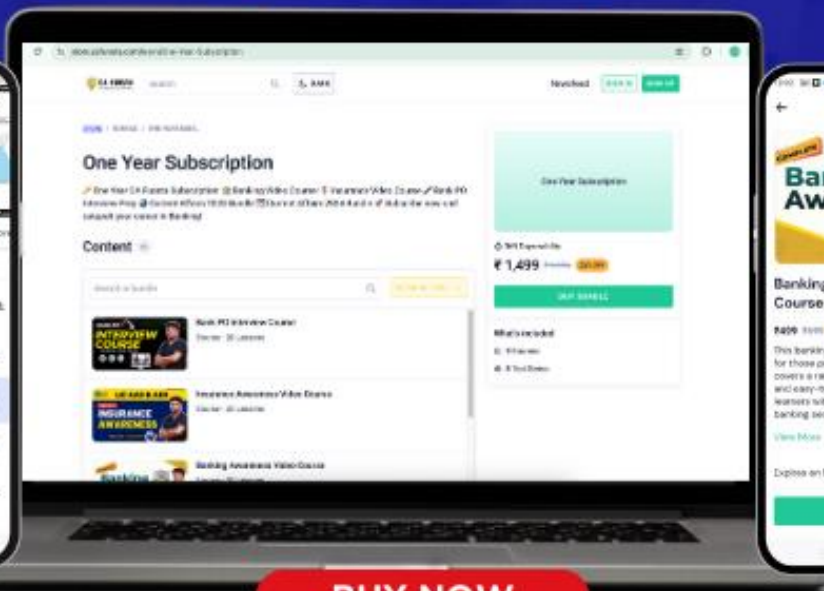


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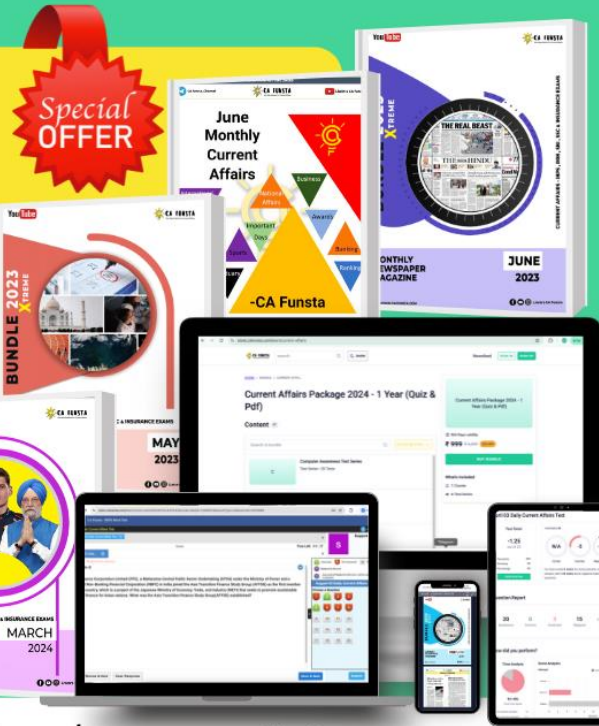


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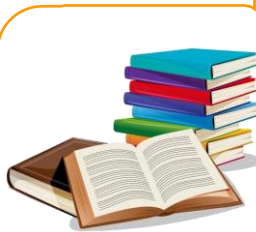


➤ **What is the theme for Teacher's Day 2025 in India?**

- A) Teachers: Nation Builders
- B) Empowering Teachers for NEP 2020
- C) Shaping Minds for Tomorrow
- D) Inspiring the Next Generation of Learners
- E) Learning Beyond Classrooms

Answer

D) Inspiring the Next Generation of Learners

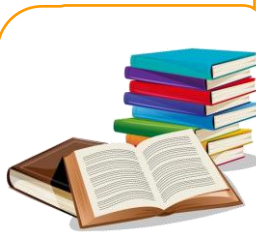


Important Days



Event and Location:

- **Event:** Celebration of Teacher's Day 2025
- **Location:** Across India
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



Important Days



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - India celebrated Teacher's Day 2025 to honor the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan.
 - The central theme of the year was "Inspiring the Next Generation of Learners."
 - The day was marked by events across schools, colleges, and government institutions recognizing the role of educators.



Important Days



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:**
 - To pay tribute to teachers and their role in nation-building and moral development.
 - To encourage appreciation, policy support, and professional growth for teachers under schemes like NEP 2020, NISHTHA, and NPST.
 - To inspire educators to nurture creativity, curiosity, and adaptability among learners.

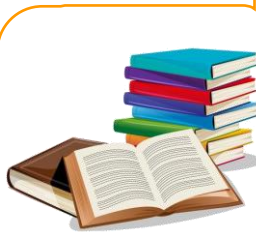


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Important Terms Explained:

- **Teacher's Day:**
 - Celebrated annually in India on September 5, to honor teachers and commemorate Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan's birthday.
- **NISHTHA (National Initiative for School Heads' and Teachers' Holistic Advancement):**
 - World's largest teacher training program aimed at developing critical thinking, leadership, and pedagogical skills.

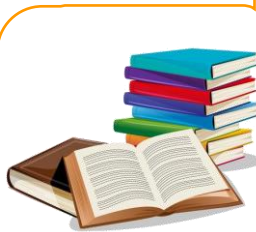


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Important Terms Explained:

- **NPST (National Professional Standards for Teachers):**
 - Framework under NEP 2020 that sets clear professional benchmarks and competencies for career growth and accountability.
- **National Mission for Mentoring (NMM):**
 - Government initiative to foster peer mentoring between experienced and new teachers for improved teaching quality.
- **National Teachers' Awards:**
 - Conferred on September 5 each year to honor outstanding educators for contributions to school education.

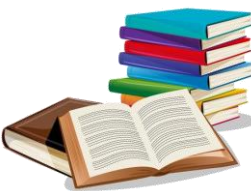


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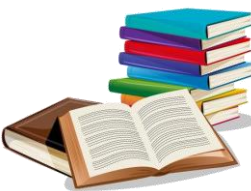
Parameter	Details
Event name	Teacher's Day 2025 Celebrations
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Nationwide (India)
Issuing authority	Ministry of Education, Government of India
Policy/series name	National Education Policy (NEP) 2020
Key figures	Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, Teachers across India
Purpose/reason	To honor educators and highlight their role in shaping future generations
Feature details	Awards, cultural events, virtual tributes, student-led celebrations
Validity or status	Annual event; Theme changes every year
Strategic/significant value	Reinforces respect for teachers; aligns with NEP's vision for transformative education



➤ **Who will Carlos Alcaraz face in the US Open 2025 men's singles final after defeating Novak Djokovic?**

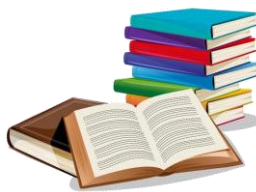
- A) Daniil Medvedev
- B) Jannik Sinner
- C) Felix Auger-Aliassime
- D) Stefanos Tsitsipas
- E) Casper Ruud

Answer
B) Jannik Sinner



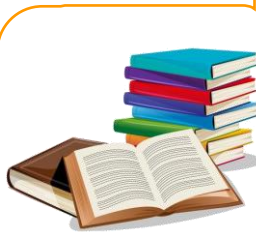
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Carlos Alcaraz and Jannik Sinner to face off in US Open 2025 Men's Singles Final
- **Location:** New York City, United States (Arthur Ashe Stadium, Flushing Meadows)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025 (Semifinal Results); Final to be played on September 7, 2025



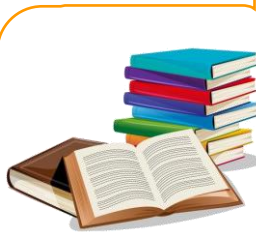
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Carlos Alcaraz defeated Novak Djokovic in straight sets; Jannik Sinner overcame Felix Auger-Aliassime in four sets to reach the final
- **Objectives:** To determine the US Open 2025 men's singles champion and renew the ongoing Alcaraz-Sinner Grand Slam rivalry, marking their third straight major final



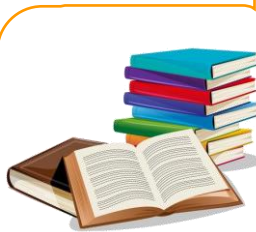
Important Terms Explained:

- **US Open:** One of the four Grand Slam tennis tournaments, held annually in New York, and part of the ATP and WTA tours. It is played on hard court surfaces.
- **Carlos Alcaraz:** Spanish tennis star, currently seeded No. 2, who won the French Open 2025 and is a former US Open 2022 champion.



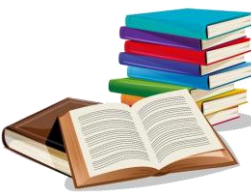
Important Terms Explained:

- **Jannik Sinner:** Italian tennis player and World No. 1, who won the Australian Open 2025 and Wimbledon 2025, aiming for his third major title this year.
- **Grand Slam Rivalry:** A term used to describe the recent streak of consecutive Grand Slam finals contested between Alcaraz and Sinner – at Roland Garros, Wimbledon, and now US Open 2025.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	US Open 2025 Men's Singles Final: Alcaraz vs. Sinner
Announcement date	September 5, 2025 (Semifinals concluded)
Location	New York City, USA
Issuing authority	United States Tennis Association (USTA)
Policy/series name	Grand Slam 2025 Season
Key figures	Carlos Alcaraz, Jannik Sinner, Novak Djokovic, Felix Auger-Aliassime
Purpose/reason	Determine the winner of the US Open 2025 Men's Singles title
Feature details	Alcaraz beat Djokovic; Sinner beat Auger-Aliassime to set up final clash
Validity or status	Final scheduled for Sunday, September 7, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Third consecutive Grand Slam final between Alcaraz and Sinner; fuels modern tennis rivalry

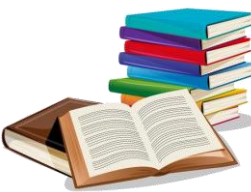


➤ **What is the total CRR cut announced by RBI in June 2025, to be implemented in four stages?**

- A) 25 basis points
- B) 50 basis points
- C) 75 basis points
- D) 100 basis points
- E) 150 basis points

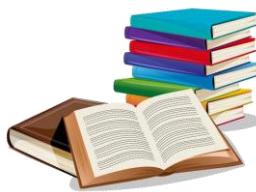
Answer

D) 100 basis points



Event and Location:

- **Event:** G-Sec yields may soften due to CRR-cut-linked liquidity infusion
- **Location:** Mumbai, India (national financial impact)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - CRR cut of 100 basis points (from 4.0% to 3.0%) to be executed in four 25 bps tranches starting September 6, 2025
 - Release of ₹2.5 lakh crore in primary liquidity into the banking system over four months
- **Objectives:**
 - To ease liquidity conditions, lower borrowing costs, and support the Government Securities (G-Sec) market
 - To stimulate lending and investment amid global headwinds and domestic fiscal adjustments



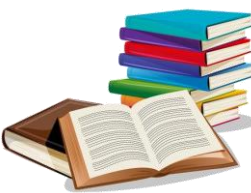
Important Terms Explained:

- **G-Secs (Government Securities):** Bonds issued by the Government of India to borrow money; G-Sec yields reflect investor confidence and interest rate expectations.
- **CRR (Cash Reserve Ratio):** The percentage of a bank's total deposits that must be kept with the RBI as reserves; a tool used to manage liquidity in the banking system.
- **Liquidity Infusion:** The release of funds into the banking system, which increases credit availability and often leads to lower bond yields.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Yield (G-Secs):** The return investors earn from holding government bonds; influenced by factors like liquidity, inflation, RBI policy, and global interest rates.
- **Forex Swap Maturities:** Deals where RBI buys/sells foreign currency with an agreement to reverse the transaction later; their maturity can absorb or inject liquidity.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	G-Sec yields may soften due to CRR-linked liquidity release
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Mumbai, India
Issuing authority	Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
Policy/series name	Bi-monthly Monetary Policy Review – June 2025
Key figures	Shaktikanta Das (RBI Governor), K Arvind (TMB), Soumyajit Niyogi (India Ratings)
Purpose/reason	Ease liquidity, reduce borrowing costs, and support economic growth
Feature details	100 bps CRR cut in 4 stages; ~₹2.5 lakh crore liquidity to be released
Validity or status	First tranche effective from September 6, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Expected to soften G-Sec yields to 6.30%–6.40%, support fiscal stability and credit flow

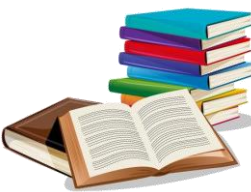


➤ **From which date will the GST exemption on individual health and life insurance policies become effective?**

- A) September 15, 2025
- B) October 1, 2025
- C) April 1, 2025
- D) September 22, 2025
- E) January 1, 2026

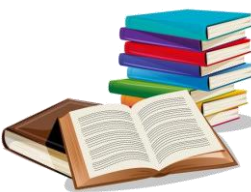
Answer

D) September 22, 2025



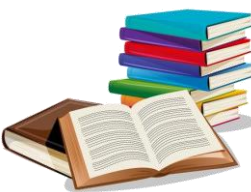
Event and Location:

- **Event:** GST Council approves full exemption on GST for health and life insurance
- **Location:** New Delhi, India (nationwide implementation)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025 (announcement); effective from September 22, 2025



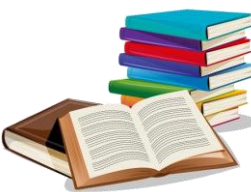
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Full GST exemption on individual health and life insurance policies, including reinsurance
 - Removal of 18% GST rate currently applied with Input Tax Credit (ITC) provisions
- **Objectives:**
 - To boost affordability and access to health and life insurance
 - To encourage greater insurance penetration across households and small businesses
 - To pass tax savings to consumers and reduce premium burden



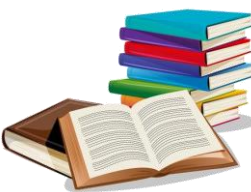
Important Terms Explained:

- **GST (Goods and Services Tax):** A unified indirect tax on the supply of goods and services in India. Individual insurance premiums were taxed at 18% before this exemption.
- **Input Tax Credit (ITC):** A mechanism allowing businesses to reduce the tax they've paid on inputs from their output tax liability. Insurers earlier availed ITC under the 18% GST regime.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Reinsurance:** A type of insurance purchased by insurance companies to limit risk exposure. This too is now exempt under the new policy.
- **Anti-profiteering Mechanism:** A GST framework provision (now defunct since April 1, 2025) that ensured businesses pass on tax-related benefits to consumers rather than increasing margins.



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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	GST exemption on individual health and life insurance
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	New Delhi (nationwide implementation)
Issuing authority	GST Council
Policy/series name	GST Exemption on Insurance Premiums
Key figures	Nirmala Sitharaman, Rakesh Jain, Naveen Chandra Jha
Purpose/reason	To improve affordability and boost insurance coverage in India
Feature details	GST rate reduced from 18% to 0%; reinsurance also exempt
Validity or status	Effective from September 22, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Estimated ₹9,900 crore revenue loss; expected to expand insurance penetration nationwide

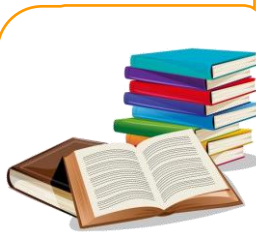


➤ From which date will the revised UPI limit of ₹10 lakh for select P2M transactions become effective?

- A) September 1, 2025
- B) September 10, 2025
- C) September 15, 2025
- D) October 1, 2025
- E) August 31, 2025

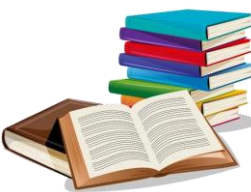
Answer

C) September 15, 2025



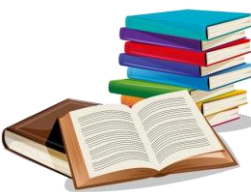
Event and Location:

- **Event:** UPI transaction limit increased to ₹10 lakh for verified merchant payments
- **Location:** Applicable across India
- **Date:** Effective from September 15, 2025



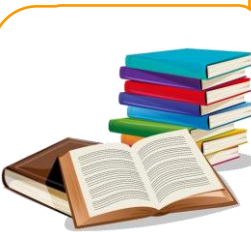
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - NPCI has raised the per-transaction UPI limit to ₹5 lakh and the 24-hour cumulative limit to ₹10 lakh for specific P2M (Person to Merchant) categories.
- **Objectives:**
 - To facilitate seamless, high-value digital transactions and expand UPI's utility in sectors like capital markets, insurance, credit cards, and tax payments.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Unified Payments Interface (UPI):**
 - A real-time payment system developed by NPCI enabling instant money transfers between bank accounts using a Virtual Payment Address (VPA).
- **P2M Transactions:**
 - Person-to-Merchant payments, such as paying for services or goods using UPI to registered and verified merchants.
- **Verified Merchants:**
 - Entities that meet NPCI's risk and compliance standards to accept high-value UPI payments securely.



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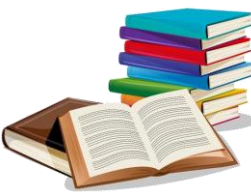
Parameter	Details
Event name	UPI limit increased to ₹10 lakh for select verified merchant transactions
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Effective date	September 15, 2025
Location	Pan-India
Issuing authority	National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI)
Policy/series name	UPI Revised Transaction Limits
Key figures	NPCI, Banks, PSPs
Purpose/reason	To support high-value digital transactions via UPI
Feature details	₹5 lakh per transaction and ₹10 lakh daily limit for categories like capital markets, insurance, credit cards, etc.
Validity or status	To be implemented by banks and PSPs from Sept 15, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Enhances UPI's usage in high-value financial transactions and digitization goals



➤ What was India's GDP growth rate in Q1 of the financial year 2025–26?

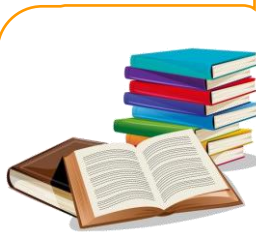
- A) 6.4%
- B) 7.1%
- C) 7.8%
- D) 8.5%
- E) 6.9%

Answer
C) 7.8%



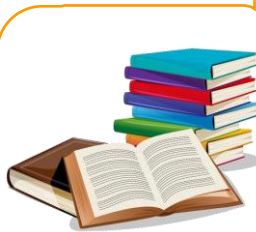
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India records 7.8% GDP growth in Q1 FY26, signaling broad-based economic strength
- **Location:** India
- **Date:** September 6, 2025



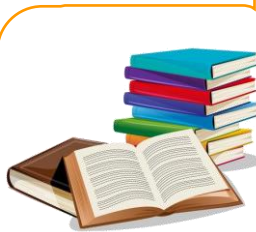
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Release of India's Q1 FY26 GDP data showing strong performance across agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors
- **Objectives:** To highlight economic resilience, broad-based recovery, and effective fiscal and trade management amidst global uncertainties and tariff challenges



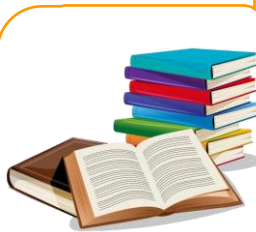
Important Terms Explained:

- **GDP (Gross Domestic Product):** The total value of all goods and services produced in a country during a specific time period; a key indicator of economic health.
- **Nominal vs Real GDP:** Nominal GDP includes current prices, whereas real GDP is adjusted for inflation. A narrow wedge between the two often indicates low inflation or price stability.
- **GST Collection:** Represents total tax revenue collected via the Goods and Services Tax, often used as a real-time proxy for economic activity. It grew by 11.8% in Q1 FY26.



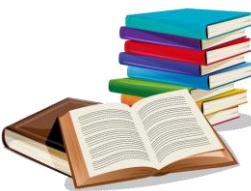
Important Terms Explained:

- **E-way Bills:** Digital documents required for inter-state goods movement; growth in e-way bills by 20% signifies higher trade and logistics activity.
- **S&P Rating Upgrade:** Standard & Poor's, a global credit rating agency, recently upgraded India's credit rating, reflecting improved investor confidence and macroeconomic stability.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	India records 7.8% GDP growth in Q1 FY26
Announcement date	September 6, 2025
Location	India
Issuing authority	Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI)
Policy/series name	National Accounts Statistics
Key figures	V. Anantha Nageswaran (CEA), Saurabh Garg
Purpose/reason	Demonstrate economic strength and resilience amid global challenges
Feature details	Strong growth in agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors
Validity or status	Q1 FY26 (April–June 2025) data released
Strategic/significant value	Reinforces macroeconomic credibility; supports India's upgraded global credit outlook

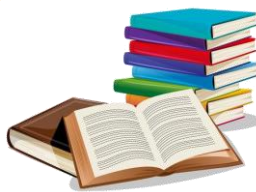


➤ **Which organisation has demanded 100% import duty on cheap tea imports and a minimum sustainable price for green tea leaves?**

- A) Tea Board of India
- B) Indian Tea Association
- C) Confederation of Indian Small Tea Growers' Associations
- D) Indian Tea Export Council
- E) All India Tea Producers Union

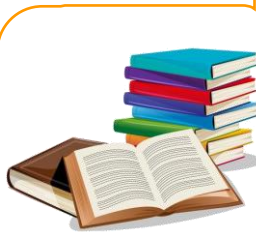
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C) Confederation of Indian Small Tea Growers' Associations



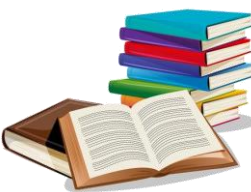
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Small tea growers seek 100% import duty and MSP for green tea leaves
- **Location:** Kolkata, India (national impact)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



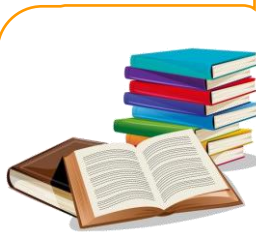
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Imposition of 100% import duty on cheap tea imports from Nepal, Kenya, and other African nations
 - Establishment of a Minimum Sustainable Price (MSP) for green tea leaves
- **Objectives:**
 - To protect domestic small tea growers from price crashes due to low-cost imports
 - To ensure sustainable income, fair pricing, and long-term viability for over 2.5 lakh small tea growers who produce 53% of India's tea output



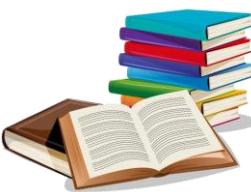
Important Terms Explained:

- **CISTA (Confederation of Indian Small Tea Growers' Associations):** The apex body representing India's small tea growers, advocating for better pricing, import safeguards, and sustainable policies.
- **Minimum Sustainable Price (MSP):** A proposed fair baseline price for green tea leaves that ensures economic viability and income security for small growers.



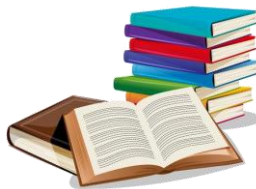
Important Terms Explained:

- **Import Duty:** A tax imposed on imported goods to protect local industries from foreign competition; in this case, proposed at 100% for cheap tea imports.
- **Small Tea Growers (STGs):** Tea farmers with small land holdings, collectively contributing more than 50% of India's total tea production, crucial to the rural economy.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	CISTA seeks 100% import duty and MSP for green tea leaves
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Kolkata, India
Issuing authority	Confederation of Indian Small Tea Growers' Associations (CISTA)
Policy/series name	Policy appeal to Ministry of Commerce and Industry
Key figures	Bijoy Gopal Chakraborty, President of CISTA
Purpose/reason	To protect small growers from cheap imports and ensure sustainable incomes
Feature details	Demand for 100% import duty, MSP mechanism, cost study panel formation
Validity or status	Ministry to commission cost study and consider MSP recommendations
Strategic/significant value	Supports livelihoods of 2.5 lakh STGs; protects India's tea economy from foreign price shocks

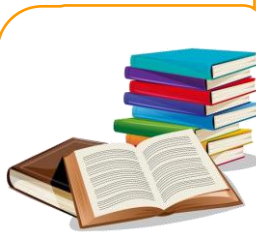


➤ Which company won the ₹12,505 crore bid for Jaiprakash Associates, edging out Adani Enterprises?

- A) Jindal Power
- B) Dalmia Bharat
- C) PNC Infratech
- D) Vedanta Ltd
- E) Tata Steel

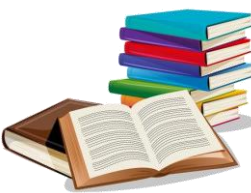


Answer
D) Vedanta Ltd



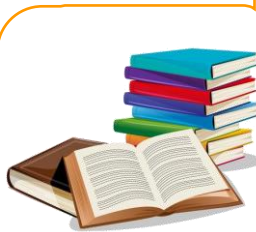
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Vedanta wins bid for Jaiprakash Associates in ₹12,505 crore Swiss Challenge process
- **Location:** New Delhi, India
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



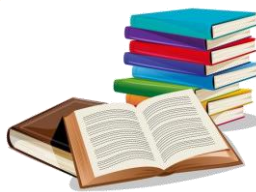
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Vedanta Ltd declared the H1 bidder for debt-laden Jaiprakash Associates in a Swiss Challenge bidding process
 - Winning bid valued at ₹12,505 crore, outbidding Adani Enterprises by ₹200–250 crore



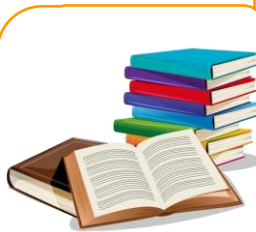
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:**
 - To acquire diversified assets of Jaiprakash Associates including cement plants, power units, and real estate, helping Vedanta diversify beyond metals and energy
 - To resolve one of India's largest insolvency cases through the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC) framework



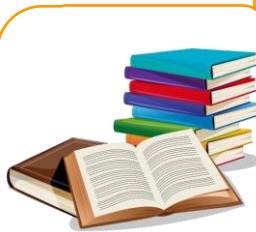
Important Terms Explained:

- **Swiss Challenge Process:** A bidding method where the first (H1) bidder places an offer, and others are invited to challenge it with better offers. The H1 bidder can match the best offer to retain the bid.
- **H1 Bidder:** The bidder offering the highest value in a competitive process and is declared the preferred bidder, subject to regulatory and procedural approvals.



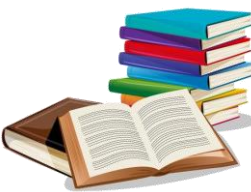
Important Terms Explained:

- **Net Present Value (NPV):** The current value of all future cash flows of a project, used to assess the true worth of a bid. Vedanta's winning bid had an NPV of ₹12,505 crore.
- **Jaiprakash Associates Ltd (JAL):** Once a major player in infrastructure, cement, and power, now the second-largest corporate insolvency case under IBC in India.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Vedanta wins ₹12,505 crore bid for Jaiprakash Associates
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	New Delhi, India
Issuing authority	Committee of Creditors (CoC), under IBC
Policy/series name	Swiss Challenge bidding for Corporate Insolvency Resolution
Key figures	Vedanta Ltd, Adani Enterprises, COC, RP of JAL
Purpose/reason	Resolve corporate insolvency, acquire multi-sector assets
Feature details	Cement (10 MTPA), captive power, real estate, and land assets
Validity or status	Vedanta declared H1 bidder; formal approval awaited
Strategic/significant value	Helps Vedanta diversify; marks major corporate insolvency resolution in India

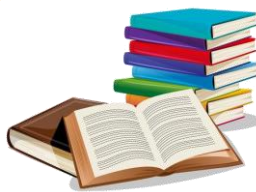


➤ Which two cities are home to Apple's newly announced retail stores in India?

- A) Mumbai and Delhi
- B) Bengaluru and Pune
- C) Chennai and Hyderabad
- D) Noida and Ahmedabad
- E) Surat and Indore

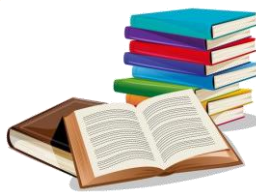
Answer

B) Bengaluru and Pune



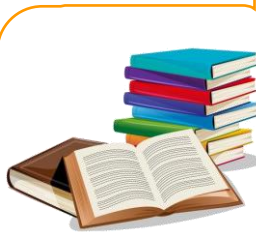
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Apple announces new official retail stores in India
- **Location:** Bengaluru (Apple Hebbal) and Pune (Apple Koregaon Park)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



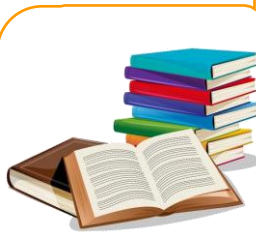
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Apple Inc., led by CEO Tim Cook, announced the launch of two new retail stores in India
 - The stores are named Apple Hebbal (Bengaluru) and Apple Koregaon Park (Pune)
- **Objectives:**
 - To expand Apple's retail footprint in one of its fastest-growing markets
 - To strengthen customer access to official products, support, and services amid deepening India-US trade ties



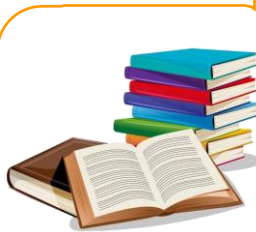
Important Terms Explained:

- **Apple Inc.:** A leading global technology company headquartered in Cupertino, California, known for its iPhones, MacBooks, iPads, and Apple ecosystem.
- **Apple Retail Stores:** Company-operated physical stores that offer direct sales, technical support, and product demonstrations, ensuring premium brand experience.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Trade Negotiations (India–US):** Ongoing bilateral discussions aimed at reducing tariffs, enhancing trade cooperation, and enabling foreign investment, particularly in sectors like electronics and technology.
- **Tariff:** A tax or duty imposed on imported goods, often a key topic in international trade agreements to ensure reciprocal market access.

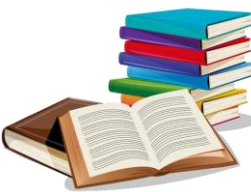


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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Apple announces new retail stores in Bengaluru and Pune
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Apple Hebbal (Bengaluru), Apple Koregaon Park (Pune)
Issuing authority	Apple Inc.
Policy/series name	India retail expansion strategy
Key figures	Tim Cook (CEO), S. Jaishankar (External Affairs Minister)
Purpose/reason	Expand official retail presence in India and strengthen customer outreach
Feature details	Two new stores added; Apple now has four official outlets in India
Validity or status	Announced and set for official opening soon
Strategic/significant value	Reinforces India's importance as Apple's 4th largest market; aligns with trade discussions



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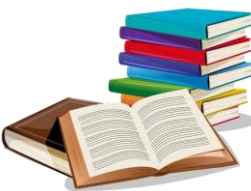


➤ **What is the title of the second book in Amish Tripathi's Indic Chronicles series launched in September 2025?**

- A) Return of the Cholas
- B) Warriors of Somnath
- C) The Chola Tigers: Avengers of Somnath
- D) Legacy of Suheldev
- E) The Vindhyas Roar

Answer

C) The Chola Tigers: Avengers of Somnath

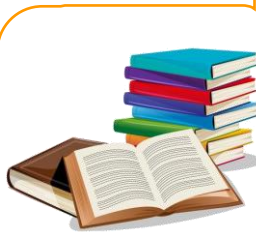
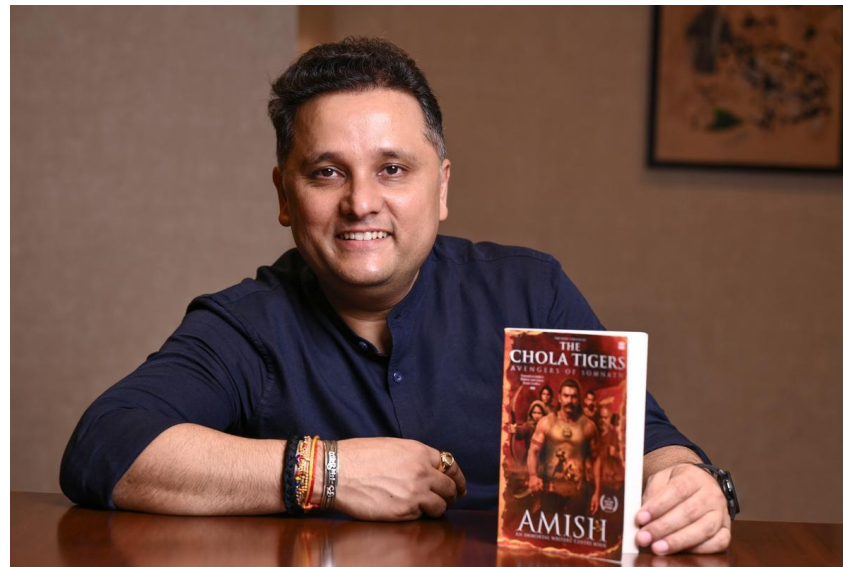


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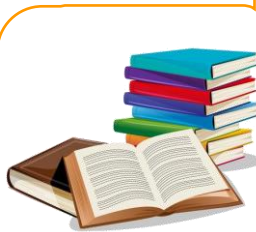
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Launch of Amish Tripathi's novel The Chola Tigers: Avengers of Somnath
- **Location:** Crossword Bookstore, Kemp's Corner, Mumbai
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



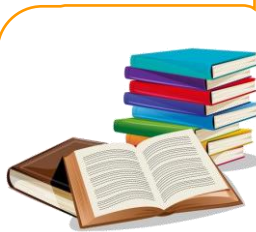
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Bestselling Indian author Amish Tripathi launched his latest novel as part of the Indic Chronicles series.
 - The book is a mytho-historical narrative based on the Chola dynasty's retribution for the invasion of the Somnath temple.



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:**
 - To reimagine and popularize India's medieval history through compelling fiction.
 - To highlight Southern India's historical role in resisting invasions and preserving cultural identity.
 - To promote civilizational pride and historical awareness through storytelling.

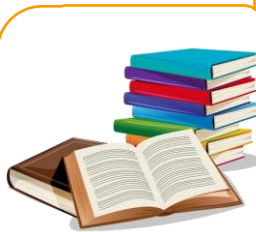


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Important Terms Explained:

- **The Chola Tigers: Avengers of Somnath:**
 - Second novel in Amish's Indic Chronicles, focusing on Chola dynasty's retaliation for the Somnath temple's sacking.
- **Indic Chronicles:**
 - A book series by Amish Tripathi aiming to re-explore Indian medieval history through storytelling rooted in cultural pride and resistance.

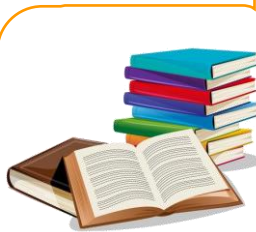


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Important Terms Explained:

- **Somnath Temple Invasion:**
 - Historical sacking of the Somnath temple in Gujarat during early medieval invasions, symbolizing cultural loss and resilience.
- **Amish Tripathi:**
 - Indian author known for his mytho-fictional retellings of Indian history; author of the Shiva Trilogy, Ram Chandra Series, and Legend of Suheldev.



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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Launch of The Chola Tigers: Avengers of Somnath
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Crossword Bookstore, Kemps Corner, Mumbai
Issuing authority	Amish Tripathi
Policy/series name	Indic Chronicles
Key figures	Amish Tripathi, Ravi Dubey, Sargun Mehta, Jimmy Shergill
Purpose/reason	To retell India's medieval history and showcase cultural resistance
Feature details	Historical fiction, Chola dynasty focus, rich narrative on Somnath invasion
Validity or status	Second book in an ongoing historical fiction series
Strategic/significant value	Revives interest in Indian history and challenges colonial perspectives



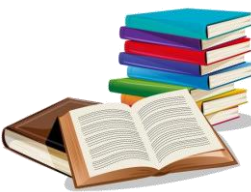
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➤ **Who has been appointed the new Deputy Prime Minister of the United Kingdom after Angela Rayner's resignation?**

- A) Yvette Cooper
- B) Steve Reed
- C) David Lammy
- D) Pat McFadden
- E) Peter Kyle

Answer
C) David Lammy

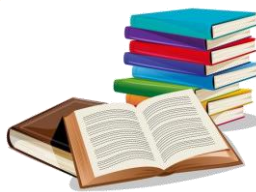


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Event and Location:

- **Event:** David Lammy appointed UK Deputy Prime Minister in Cabinet reshuffle
- **Location:** United Kingdom (London)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025

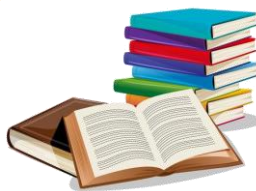


APPOINTMENTS



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Appointment of David Lammy as the new Deputy Prime Minister and Justice Secretary following the resignation of Angela Rayner amid a Cabinet reshuffle led by PM Keir Starmer
- **Objectives:** To stabilise and restructure the Cabinet leadership, maintain public trust following ethical issues, and strengthen the UK government's performance ahead of political challenges

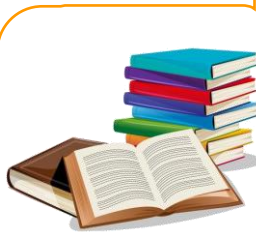


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Important Terms Explained:

- **Deputy Prime Minister (UK):** The second-highest ministerial position in the UK Cabinet, typically acting as the Prime Minister's principal deputy and overseeing key domestic or cross-departmental policies.
- **Ministerial Code of Conduct:** A set of rules and standards of behavior for UK government ministers, breaches of which can result in resignation or dismissal.
- **Cabinet Reshuffle:** A reorganisation of ministers within the Cabinet by the Prime Minister, often done to improve governance, respond to scandals, or refresh the leadership team.

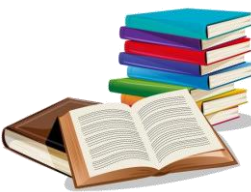


APPOINTMENTS



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	David Lammy appointed Deputy Prime Minister of the UK
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	United Kingdom (London)
Issuing authority	Government of the United Kingdom
Policy/series name	UK Cabinet Reshuffle 2025
Key figures	Keir Starmer, David Lammy, Angela Rayner
Purpose/reason	Fill leadership gap after Rayner's resignation due to code breach
Feature details	Multiple key ministerial changes including new Foreign, Home, Housing Secretaries
Validity or status	Official appointments confirmed September 5, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Reinforces cabinet stability and strategic alignment under Keir Starmer's leadership



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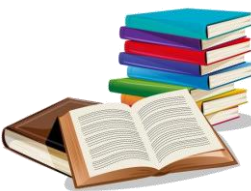


➤ Who presented the Dr. Radhakrishnan Award to 396 teachers in Tamil Nadu on Teachers' Day 2025?

- A) M. K. Stalin
- B) R. N. Ravi
- C) Anbil Mahesh Poyyamozi
- D) Udhayanidhi Stalin
- E) Duraimurugan

Answer

D) Udhayanidhi Stalin

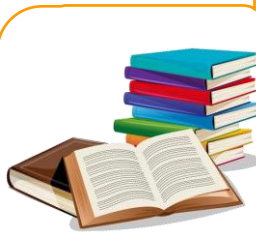


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Event and Location:

- **Event:** 396 teachers honoured with the Dr. Radhakrishnan Award
- **Location:** Tamil Nadu (Anna Centenary Library, Chennai)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025

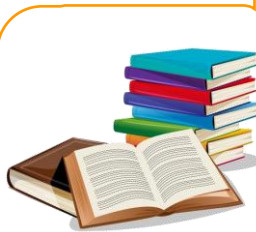


AWARDS



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Recognition of 396 best-performing teachers across Tamil Nadu through the presentation of the Dr. Radhakrishnan Award
- **Objectives:** To honour educators for their contributions to society and highlight their role in promoting education, social justice, and rational thinking among students

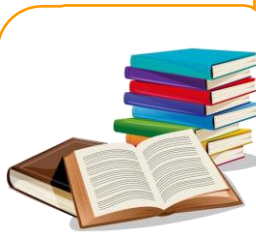


AWARDS



Important Terms Explained:

- **Dr. Radhakrishnan Award:** An award presented annually by the Government of Tamil Nadu to recognise outstanding teachers on Teachers' Day, named after Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, India's second President and a renowned educator.
- **Teachers' Day:** Celebrated in India every year on September 5, marking the birthday of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, to appreciate the contributions of teachers.
- **Anna Centenary Library:** One of Asia's largest libraries, located in Chennai, frequently used for major government and educational events in Tamil Nadu.

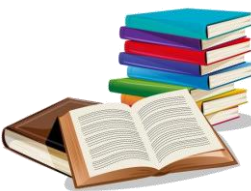


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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Dr. Radhakrishnan Award presented to 396 teachers
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Chennai, Tamil Nadu
Issuing authority	Government of Tamil Nadu
Policy/series name	Dr. Radhakrishnan Award
Key figures	Udhayanidhi Stalin
Purpose/reason	To honour best-performing teachers across the state
Feature details	Teachers recognized for educational excellence and contribution to values
Validity or status	Annual recognition on Teachers' Day
Strategic/significant value	Reinforces the importance of educators in societal development and equity

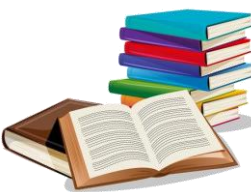


➤ **What milestone was achieved with India's first TEC-certified telecom system as announced by the IT Minister?**

- A) Launch of India's 6G pilot project
- B) Indigenous 5G smartphone launch
- C) Establishment of advanced semiconductor fab
- D) TEC certification for telecom system with made-in-India chips
- E) Import ban on foreign telecom chips

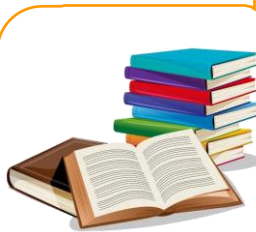
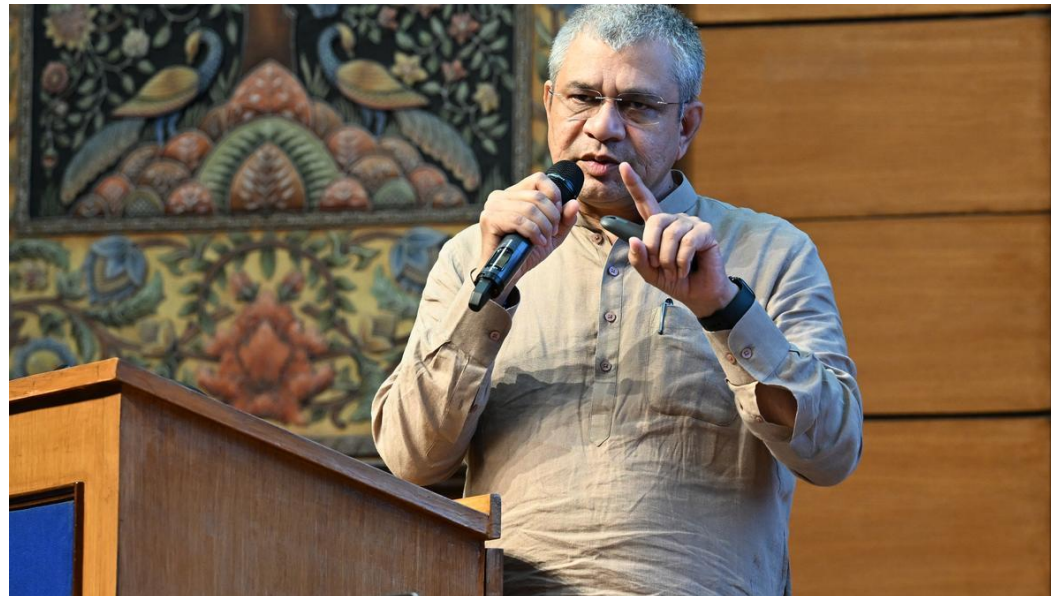
Answer

D) TEC certification for telecom system with made-in-India chips



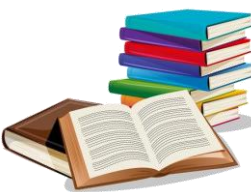
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India's first telecom system using indigenous chips receives TEC certification
- **Location:** India
- **Date:** September 2025



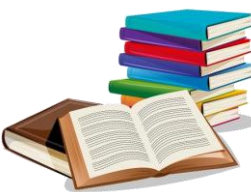
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Certification of a telecom system powered by domestically manufactured semiconductor chips by the Telecommunication Engineering Center (TEC)
- **Objectives:** To promote technological self-reliance under the Make in India initiative and establish India as a capable semiconductor player globally



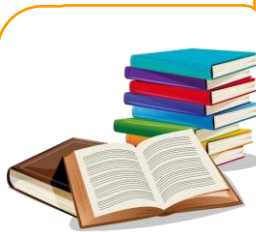
Important Terms Explained:

- **TEC Certification:** A formal quality and standards approval issued by the Telecommunication Engineering Center (TEC), under the Department of Telecommunications, for telecom equipment used in Indian networks.
- **Make in India:** A flagship national initiative launched in 2014 to promote domestic manufacturing, reduce import dependency, and boost India's role in global supply chains.



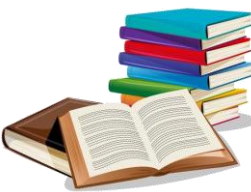
Important Terms Explained:

- **28nm–65nm Node Chips:** Semiconductor manufacturing processes that target mature technology nodes, commonly used in automotive, telecom, and industrial electronics applications, with a focus on scalability and reliability over cutting-edge miniaturization.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	India's first telecom system with indigenous chips receives TEC certification
Announcement date	September 2025
Location	India
Issuing authority	Telecommunication Engineering Center (TEC), Ministry of Communications
Policy/series name	Make in India
Key figures	Ashwini Vaishnaw
Purpose/reason	Promote self-reliance in telecom equipment and boost domestic chip design
Feature details	Certification granted for a telecom system running on India-made chips
Validity or status	Official TEC certified; ready for commercial or national use
Strategic/significant value	Strengthens India's global role in telecom tech and semiconductor supply chain

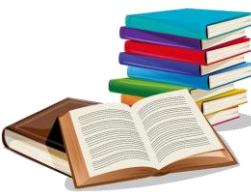


➤ Which port is set to host India's pilot green methanol bunkering and refuelling facility?

- A) Kandla Port
- B) Jawaharlal Nehru Port
- C) V.O. Chidambaranar Port
- D) Visakhapatnam Port
- E) Paradip Port

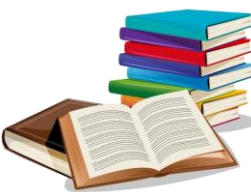
Answer

C) V.O. Chidambaranar Port



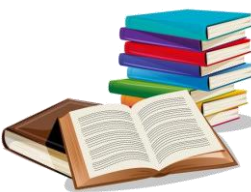
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Foundation stone laid for pilot green methanol bunkering and refuelling facility
- **Location:** V.O. Chidambaranar Port (VOC Port), Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



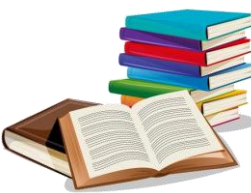
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Launch of ₹35.34 crore pilot project for green methanol bunkering and refuelling, along with multiple port infrastructure developments
- **Objectives:** To promote green shipping, enable India's shift to alternative fuels, align with the Coastal Green Shipping Corridor vision, and support the VOC Port's Net-Zero mission



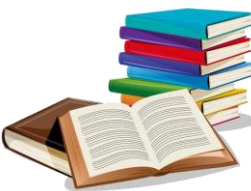
Important Terms Explained:

- **Green Methanol:** A low-carbon fuel made from renewable sources, used as an alternative marine fuel to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in maritime transport.
- **VOC Port (V.O. Chidambaranar Port):** A major port in Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu, under the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, serving as a key hub for South India's maritime logistics.
- **Coastal Green Shipping Corridor:** A government initiative to develop eco-friendly maritime routes between major Indian ports, including Kandla–Tuticorin, supporting sustainable port infrastructure.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Foundation stone laid for green methanol bunkering at VOC Port
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu
Issuing authority	Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, VOC Port Authority
Policy/series name	Coastal Green Shipping Corridor
Key figures	Sarbananda Sonowal, Susanta Kumar Purohit, K. Senthil Raj
Purpose/reason	Promote alternative fuels and establish VOC Port as a green bunkering hub
Feature details	₹35.34 crore methanol bunkering, ₹59.20 crore wind farm, ₹90 crore berth
Validity or status	Projects under construction; foundation stone laid
Strategic/significant value	Supports Net-Zero target, enhances port capacity, promotes green maritime logistics



➤ **India recently developed which rare anti-doping reference material to enhance drug detection in sports globally?**

- A) Stanozolol Rapid Marker
- B) Methandienone Long-Term Metabolite
- C) Erythropoietin Complex Reference
- D) Nandrolone Deactivation Strip
- E) Oxandrolone Metabolite Identifier



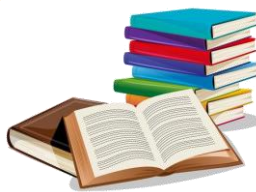
Answer

B) Methandienone Long-Term Metabolite



Event and Location:

- **Event:** Launch of rare anti-doping reference material Methandienone LTM
- **Location:** New Delhi, India (applicable to global WADA labs)
- **Date:** September 4, 2025



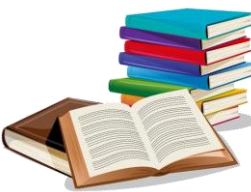
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - India launched Methandienone Long-Term Metabolite (LTM) to strengthen anti-doping capabilities in sports by supporting accurate drug detection through domestic synthesis.
- **Objectives:**
 - To reduce reliance on imported reference materials, support WADA-compliant testing globally, and reinforce India's scientific leadership in sports integrity and clean athletics.



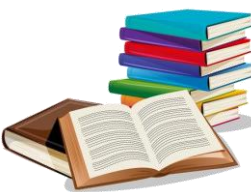
Important Terms Explained:

- **Methandienone Long-Term Metabolite (LTM):**
 - A synthetic reference material used to detect long-term use of Methandienone, an anabolic steroid banned in sports, allowing detection even months after consumption.
- **Reference Materials (RMs):**
 - Ultra-pure chemical substances used in drug testing labs to ensure precise and accurate identification of banned substances.



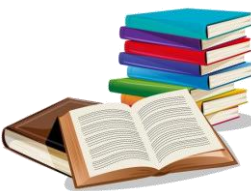
Important Terms Explained:

- **NDTL (National Dope Testing Laboratory):**
 - India's premier anti-doping lab under the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, responsible for conducting WADA-compliant drug testing for Indian and international athletes.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Launch of Methandienone Long-Term Metabolite (LTM)
Announcement date	September 4, 2025
Location	New Delhi, India (Global relevance)
Issuing authority	NDTL and NIPER-Guwahati under Department of Pharmaceuticals
Policy/series name	Anti-Doping Reference Material Development Initiative
Key figures	Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya
Purpose/reason	Strengthen doping detection mechanisms and support WADA labs
Feature details	Developed rare steroid metabolite for extended detection accuracy
Validity or status	Officially launched; available for global anti-doping use
Strategic/significant value	Makes India one of few nations with capability to produce LTMs domestically



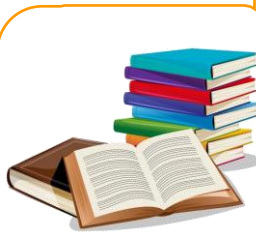
➤ Which body is expected to give final clearance to the secure drone framework aimed at eliminating Chinese-origin components from Indian UAVs?

- A) DRDO
- B) Ministry of Civil Aviation
- C) Defence Acquisitions Council
- D) DGCA
- E) NITI Aayog



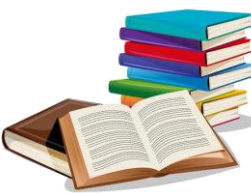
Answer

C) Defence Acquisitions Council



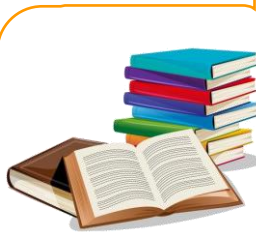
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Draft secure military drone framework awaits DAC approval
- **Location:** New Delhi, India
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



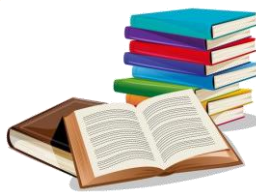
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Development of a secure drone procurement and certification framework to eliminate security vulnerabilities linked to Chinese-origin components
 - Approval pending from Defence Procurement Board (DPB) and Defence Acquisitions Council (DAC)



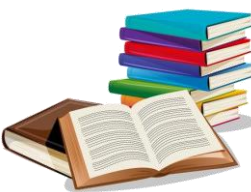
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:**
 - To ensure that indigenous UAVs used by the tri-services meet high cybersecurity and hardware integrity standards
 - To create a traceable and secure supply chain, safeguarding India's defence systems from malware, hijacking, and foreign surveillance risks



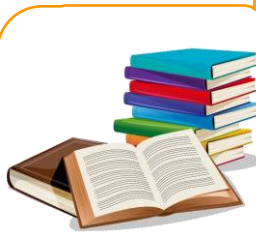
Important Terms Explained:

- **DAC (Defence Acquisitions Council): Army Design Bureau (ADB):** The innovation and policy arm of the Indian Army, responsible for working with industry and research institutions for defence capability enhancement.
- **UAV (Unmanned Aerial Vehicle):** A drone system used for surveillance, combat, and intelligence, increasingly vulnerable to cyber intrusions and hardware tampering if supply chains are compromised.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Secure Code Signing & Validation:** Cryptographic techniques that ensure the authenticity and integrity of software running on drones, critical for preventing hijacking or malware insertion.

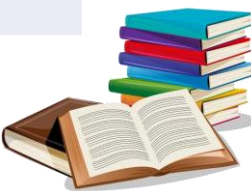


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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Secure drone framework awaits DAC approval
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	New Delhi, India
Issuing authority	Army Design Bureau (ADB), Ministry of Defence
Policy/series name	Secure UAV Procurement and Certification Framework
Key figures	Rajnath Singh (Defence Minister), Rajesh Kumar Singh (Defence Secretary), Maj Gen GS Mann
Purpose/reason	Remove foreign-origin risks, ensure software and hardware security in UAVs
Feature details	30 hardware/software security tests, NABL certification, traceability rules
Validity or status	Final draft awaiting approval by DPB and DAC
Strategic/significant value	Strengthens India's defence tech integrity, counters cyber threats and foreign intrusion risks



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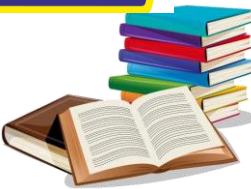


➤ What is the full form of the SUNIYO scheme launched by the Municipal Corporation of Delhi?

- A) Sampatti Nivesh Yojana
- B) Sampatti Samadhan Yojana
- C) Sampattikar Niptaan Yojana
- D) Sanchit Nivaran Yojana
- E) Sampatti Nyaya Yojana

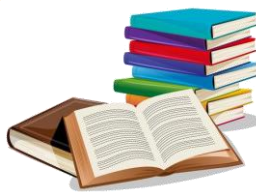
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C) Sampattikar Niptaan Yojana



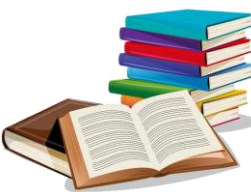
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Delhi MCD sees 20% surge in property tax collection in FY 2024–25
- **Location:** New Delhi, India
- **Date:** September 4, 2025



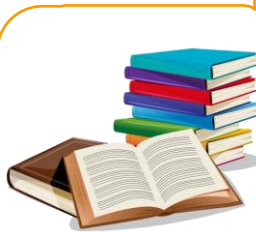
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Collection of ₹2,024.75 crore in property taxes by the Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) till August 2025 under the SUNIYO scheme
- **Objectives:** To increase property tax compliance, improve revenue collection, and offer financial relief to taxpayers through waivers on interest and penalties for past dues



Important Terms Explained:

- **SUNIYO (Sampattikar Niptaan Yojana):** A Tax Amnesty Scheme 2025–26 by the MCD offering full waiver of interest and penalties if taxpayers pay current and past five years' dues by September 30, 2025.
- **UPIC (Unique Property Identification Code):** A code used to uniquely identify properties under MCD jurisdiction, critical for efficient tax assessment and collection.
- **10% Early Payment Rebate:** An incentive under which taxpayers receive a 10% discount for paying dues promptly, aimed at boosting early compliance.

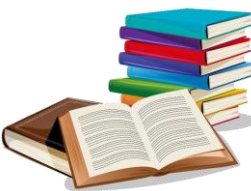


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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Surge in MCD's property tax collection due to SUNIYO scheme
Announcement date	September 4, 2025
Location	New Delhi, India
Issuing authority	Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD)
Policy/series name	SUNIYO (Sampattikar Niptaan Yojana) 2025–26
Key figures	Sardar Raja Iqbal Singh (Mayor), MCD Assessment and Collection Dept.
Purpose/reason	Improve tax collection and offer amnesty for old property tax dues
Feature details	20% increase in collections, 18% rise in taxpayers, waiver on penalties
Validity or status	Scheme active till September 30, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Boosts MCD's revenue, eases taxpayer burden, increases civic compliance



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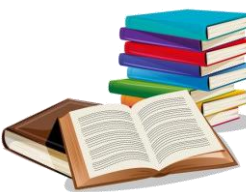


➤ **What is the name of the DDA housing scheme under which all 152 flats were sold within an hour in September 2025?**

- A) Jan Ghar Yojana
- B) Delhi Awas Mission
- C) Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana
- D) Awas Sanchay Yojana
- E) Griha Setu Yojana

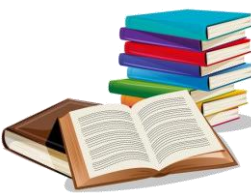
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C) Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana



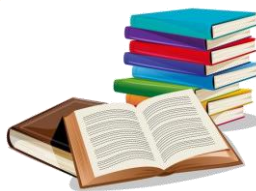
Event and Location:

- **Event:** All 152 DDA flats sold within an hour under the Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana
- **Location:** Delhi, India
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



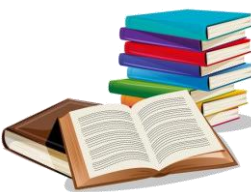
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Sale of 152 ready-to-move-in flats offered by Delhi Development Authority (DDA) on a first-come-first-served basis
- **Objectives:** To expand access to affordable housing, cater to the Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and Middle Income Group (MIG) categories, and simplify homeownership via a transparent and fully online platform



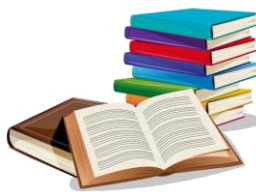
Important Terms Explained:

- **Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana:** A housing initiative by the Delhi Development Authority (DDA) providing affordable, ready-to-move-in flats to the public under a simplified booking process, aimed at improving housing access across Delhi.
- **DDA (Delhi Development Authority):** A statutory body under the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, responsible for urban planning and development in the National Capital Territory of Delhi.



Important Terms Explained:

- **First-Come-First-Served (FCFS):** A booking method where applicants are allotted homes in the order of their application submissions, encouraging faster decisions and efficient allocation.



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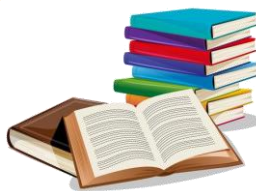
Parameter	Details
Event name	All 152 flats sold under DDA's Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Delhi, India
Issuing authority	Delhi Development Authority (DDA)
Policy/series name	Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana
Key figures	Lt Governor VK Saxena, DDA Housing Wing
Purpose/reason	Provide affordable and accessible housing through online FCFS bookings
Feature details	76 MIG flats in Lok Nayak Puram; 76 EWS flats in Narela
Validity or status	Scheme extended till November 26, 2025 due to high demand
Strategic/significant value	Promotes urban housing accessibility and boosts revenue (~₹100 crore expected)



➤ Under which programme has the Centre allocated over ₹93,000 crore for port projects in Tamil Nadu?

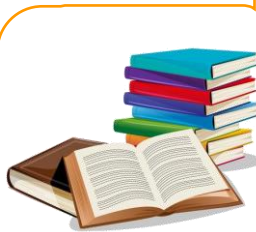
- A) Make in India
- B) Bharatmala
- C) SagarMala
- D) PM Gati Shakti
- E) Atmanirbhar Bharat

Answer
C) SagarMala



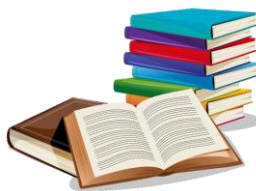
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Centre allocates over ₹93,000 crore for 98 major port projects
- **Location:** Tamil Nadu (Chennai, Ennore, Thoothukudi)
- **Date:** September 6, 2025



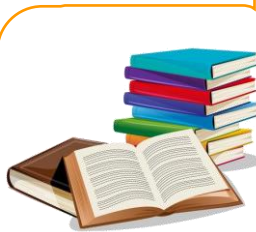
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Allocation of ₹93,715 crore under the SagarMala programme for 98 modernisation and infrastructure augmentation projects in Chennai Port Trust, Kamarajar Port, and VOC Port
- **Objectives:** To enhance port capacity, improve logistics efficiency, and support economic development through upgraded port infrastructure in Tamil Nadu



Important Terms Explained:

- **SagarMala:** A flagship initiative by the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways aimed at port-led development through modernising ports, improving port connectivity, and promoting industrial corridors.
- **VOC Port (V. O. Chidambaranar Port):** A major port located in Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu, functioning under the Ministry of Ports, Shipping, and Waterways, handling cargo and shipping traffic in the southern region.
- **Green Hydrogen Plant:** A facility that produces hydrogen using renewable energy sources, contributing to clean fuel development and India's green energy targets.

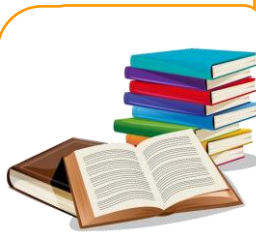


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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Central allocation of ₹93,715 crore for major port projects in Tamil Nadu
Announcement date	September 6, 2025
Location	Tamil Nadu (Chennai, Ennore, Thoothukudi)
Issuing authority	Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways
Policy/series name	SagarMala Programme
Key figures	Sarbananda Sonowal
Purpose/reason	Upgrade and expand port infrastructure across key Tamil Nadu ports
Feature details	98 projects including port modernisation, infrastructure, and green hydrogen
Validity or status	Ongoing; funds allocated over past 11 years
Strategic/significant value	Supports port-led economic growth, improves connectivity and logistics

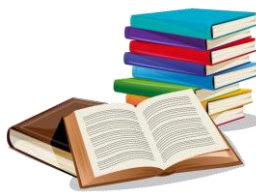


➤ Which iconic model inspired the newly inaugurated Punpun suspension bridge in Bihar?

- A) Howrah Bridge
- B) Vivekananda Setu
- C) Lakshman Jhula
- D) Bandra-Worli Sea Link
- E) Golden Gate Bridge

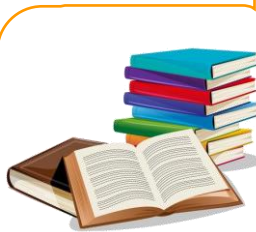
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C) Lakshman Jhula



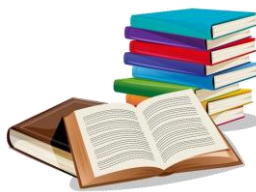
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Inauguration of Punpun Suspension Bridge and foundation laying of 17 development projects
- **Location:** Patna district, Bihar (Punpun block)
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



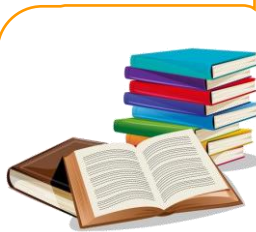
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Inauguration of the Punpun Suspension Bridge and laying of foundation stones for 17 infrastructure projects including roads, bridges, and power facilities
- **Objectives:** To improve regional connectivity, support religious tourism during Pitru Paksha Mela, and enhance infrastructure and electricity supply in Patna district based on local demands from the Pragati Yatra



Important Terms Explained:

- **Punpun Suspension Bridge:** A new bridge constructed over the Punpun River in Patna district at a cost of ₹83 crore, modeled after Lakshman Jhula, aimed at easing access for devotees and improving local connectivity.
- **Pitru Paksha Mela:** An annual religious event where devotees perform tarpan rituals for their ancestors, drawing large gatherings at sacred riverbanks like Punpun.
- **Pragati Yatra:** A state-level developmental tour undertaken by the Chief Minister to assess local needs and initiate citizen-demanded infrastructure projects.



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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Inauguration of Punpun Suspension Bridge and 17 development projects
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Punpun, Patna district, Bihar
Issuing authority	Government of Bihar
Policy/series name	Based on demands received during Pragati Yatra
Key figures	Nitish Kumar
Purpose/reason	Improve regional connectivity, electricity, and public infrastructure
Feature details	₹83 crore bridge, ₹1,159.84 crore for 17 infrastructure projects
Validity or status	Inaugurated and foundation laid on September 5, 2025
Strategic/significant value	Enhances local development and religious tourism infrastructure in view of upcoming elections



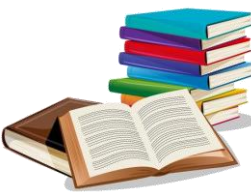
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- What is the total length of the new Gurugram Metro extension project whose foundation was laid in September 2025?

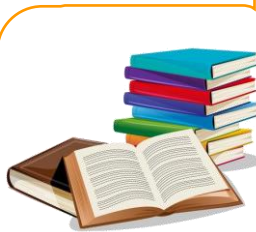
- A) 15.2 km
- B) 28.5 km
- C) 36.4 km
- D) 21.1 km
- E) 32.7 km

Answer
B) 28.5 km



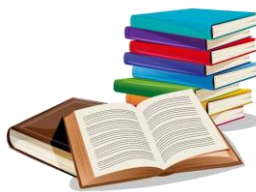
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Foundation stone laid for Gurugram Metro extension project
- **Location:** Gurugram, Haryana
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



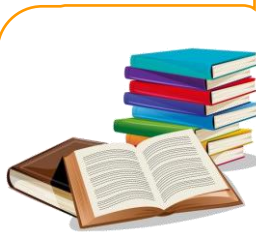
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Foundation stone laying of the 28.5 km Gurugram Metro extension with 27 stations, linking Old Gurugram with New Gurugram, with a spur to Dwarka Expressway
- **Objectives:** To improve urban mobility, reduce traffic congestion, integrate old and new parts of Gurugram, and unlock real estate potential through enhanced connectivity



Important Terms Explained:

- **Gurugram Metro Extension Project:** A major urban transport project spanning 28.5 km with 27 planned stations, aimed at connecting key business and residential areas, easing commute and driving real estate growth.
- **Dwarka Expressway:** A rapidly developing corridor connecting Delhi and Gurugram, witnessing a boom in residential and commercial real estate, set to benefit further from metro connectivity.
- **GMRL (Gurugram Metro Rail Limited):** A special purpose vehicle (SPV) formed jointly by the Government of Haryana and the Central Government for executing the Gurugram Metro expansion project.

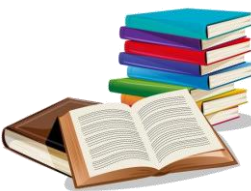


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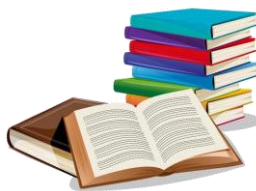
Parameter	Details
Event name	Foundation stone laid for Gurugram Metro Extension
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Gurugram, Haryana
Issuing authority	Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs & Government of Haryana
Policy/series name	Gurugram Metro Expansion Project
Key figures	Manohar Lal Khattar, Nayab Singh Saini
Purpose/reason	Improve public transport, reduce congestion, and integrate old-new Gurugram
Feature details	28.5 km line, 27 stations, ₹5,500 crore cost, 4-year completion target
Validity or status	Foundation laid; execution underway
Strategic/significant value	Will boost real estate, office rentals, and urban redevelopment across Gurugram



➤ By when is the ₹8.06-crore sponge park in Manali expected to be completed?

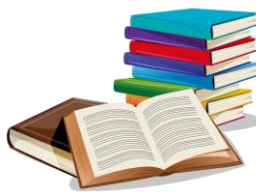
- A) December 2025
- B) April 2026
- C) August 2026
- D) March 2025
- E) January 2026

Answer
B) April 2026



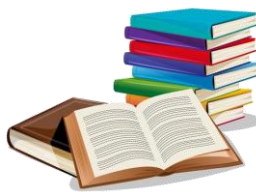
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Construction of sponge park with recreational facilities begins in Manali
- **Location:** Mathur MMDA Colony, Manali Zone, Chennai, Tamil Nadu
- **Date:** September 5, 2025



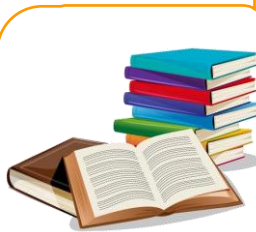
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Construction of a ₹8.06-crore sponge park over 7,652 sq.m. by the Greater Chennai Corporation (GCC), linked to Kosasthalaiyar Basin via storm-water drainage
- **Objectives:** To improve urban water absorption, manage storm-water runoff, prevent flooding, and offer recreational amenities to the local community



Important Terms Explained:

- **Sponge Park:** A green infrastructure project designed to absorb rainwater, reduce surface runoff, and mitigate urban flooding, often combined with public recreational spaces.
- **Rain Garden:** A low-lying landscaped area with water-absorbing plants and a pervious green surface that captures and filters storm-water runoff.
- **Detention Tanks:** Underground or surface-level tanks used to temporarily store rainwater, helping control water flow during storms and preventing immediate discharge into drains.

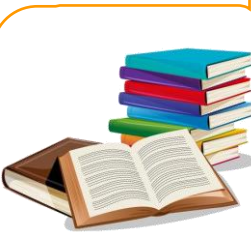


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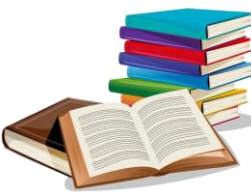
Parameter	Details
Event name	Construction of Sponge Park in Manali with recreational facilities
Announcement date	September 5, 2025
Location	Mathur MMDA Colony, Manali Zone, Chennai
Issuing authority	Greater Chennai Corporation (GCC)
Policy/series name	Urban flood management and green infrastructure initiative
Key figures	GCC Engineering Department
Purpose/reason	To manage storm-water runoff and enhance public amenities
Feature details	Football pitch, kabaddi court, jogging track, rain garden, tiered seating
Validity or status	Under construction; targeted completion by April 2026
Strategic/significant value	Enhances climate resilience, urban sustainability, and recreational infrastructure



➤ **Where was India's first online vulture knowledge portal launched in September 2025?**

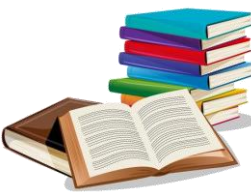
- A) Gujarat
- B) Rajasthan
- C) Madhya Pradesh
- D) Assam
- E) Maharashtra

Answer
D) Assam



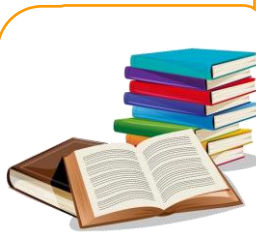
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Launch of India's first vulture knowledge portal
- **Location:** Assam, India
- **Date:** September 2, 2025



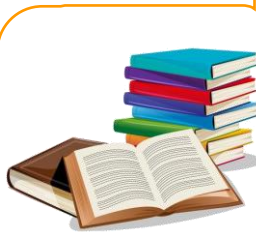
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - The launch of The Vulture Network portal to serve as a knowledge hub for endangered vulture species, offering scientific data, awareness materials, and citizen science tools.
- **Objectives:**
 - To raise awareness, promote research, engage communities, and support conservation efforts for India's declining vulture population.



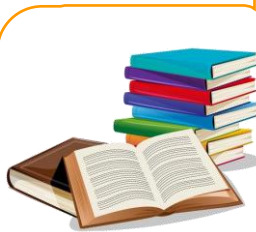
Important Terms Explained:

- **The Vulture Network:**
 - India's first cloud-based online portal dedicated to vulture conservation, offering data, outreach tools, and resources for researchers and the public.
- **Citizen Science:**
 - A participatory approach where local citizens contribute to scientific data collection and monitoring, especially in environmental and conservation projects.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Diclofenac:**
 - A veterinary painkiller identified as highly toxic to vultures, leading to mass deaths when they consume treated animal carcasses.



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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	Launch of India's First Vulture Knowledge Portal
Announcement date	September 2, 2025
Location	Assam, India
Issuing authority	Gauhati University (Dept. of Zoology), We Foundation, NGO partners
Policy/series name	The Vulture Network
Key figures	Dr. Rupam Bhaduri, Assam Bird Monitoring Network
Purpose/reason	To centralize vulture research and promote conservation awareness
Feature details	Cloud-based portal with species data, awareness kits, and citizen tools
Validity or status	Operational and accessible online
Strategic/significant value	Helps protect endangered vultures and promote community-based conservation

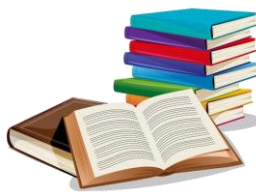
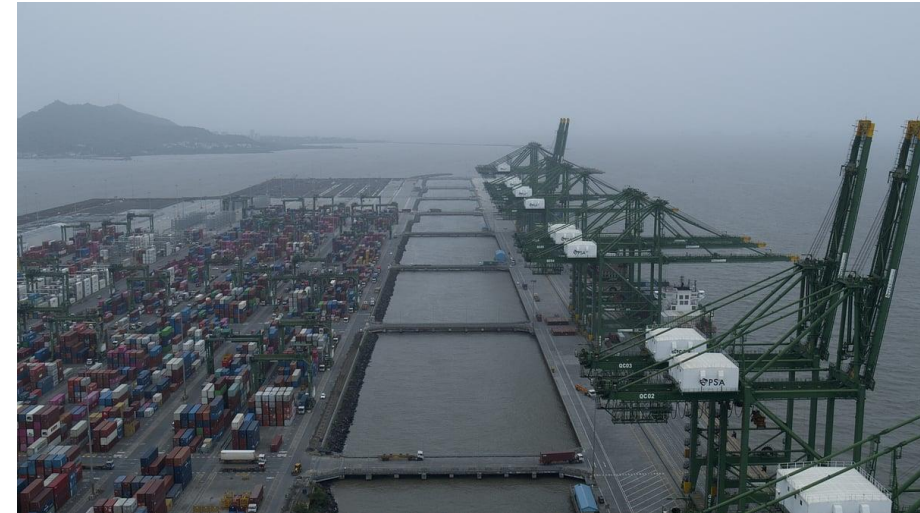


➤ Which Indian port became the country's largest container terminal after the inauguration of PSA Mumbai Terminal Phase-II?

- A) Kandla Port
- B) Chennai Port
- C) Jawaharlal Nehru Port
- D) Vizag Port
- E) Cochin Port

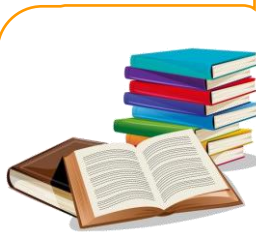
Answer

C) Jawaharlal Nehru Port



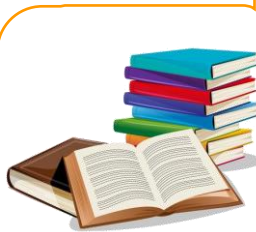
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Inauguration of PSA Mumbai Terminal Phase-II at JNPA
- **Location:** Jawaharlal Nehru Port (JNPA), Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra
- **Date:** September 4, 2025



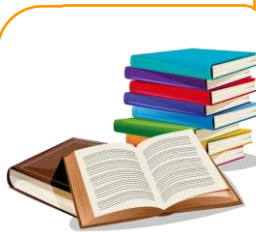
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:**
 - Inauguration of the upgraded PSA Mumbai Terminal Phase-II jointly by PM Narendra Modi and PM Lawrence Wong.
- **Objectives:**
 - To expand port capacity, modernize maritime logistics infrastructure, improve trade connectivity with Singapore, and boost India's container handling capabilities.



Important Terms Explained:

- **PSA Mumbai Terminal:**
 - A container terminal at Jawaharlal Nehru Port operated by PSA International; key for handling global cargo traffic.
- **TEU (Twenty-foot Equivalent Unit):**
 - A standard unit of cargo capacity used to measure containers; one TEU equals one 20-foot container.
- **Dedicated Freight Corridor (DFC):**
 - A high-speed, high-capacity railway corridor designed to transport freight efficiently, reducing transit time and cost.

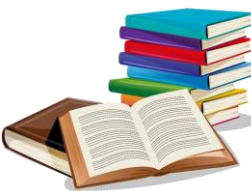


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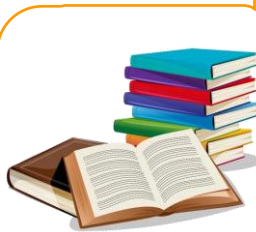
Parameter	Details
Event name	Inauguration of PSA Mumbai Terminal Phase-II
Announcement date	September 4, 2025
Location	Jawaharlal Nehru Port, Navi Mumbai
Issuing authority	Government of India & PSA International
Policy/series name	India-Singapore Infrastructure Collaboration
Key figures	PM Narendra Modi, PM Lawrence Wong
Purpose/reason	To expand India's port capacity and modernize logistics
Feature details	4.8 million TEU capacity, automated systems, DFC rail link
Validity or status	Inaugurated and operational
Strategic/significant value	Strengthens Indo-Pacific trade and boosts India's global logistics standing



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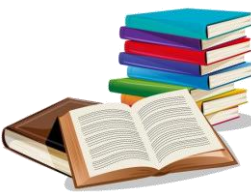
- **Teacher's Day is celebrated on September 5 to mark the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan.**
- **Carlos Alcaraz defeated Novak Djokovic in straight sets to reach the US Open 2025 men's final.**
- **RBI's phased 100 basis point CRR cut starting September 6 is expected to release ₹2.5 lakh crore into the banking system.**
- **The GST Council has approved full exemption of GST on individual health and life insurance premiums from September 22, 2025.**
- **From September 15, 2025, NPCI will implement increased UPI limits for select P2M high-value transactions.**
- **India recorded a robust 7.8% GDP growth in Q1 of FY26, driven by broad-based sectoral performance.**
- **The Confederation of Indian Small Tea Growers' Associations has sought 100% import duty on cheap tea imports from Nepal and African nations.**
- **Vedanta Ltd has outbid Adani Enterprises in a ₹12,505 crore Swiss Challenge process to acquire Jaiprakash Associates.**
- **Apple CEO Tim Cook announced the launch of two new official Apple stores in India – in Bengaluru and Pune.**



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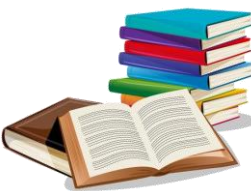
- **Amish Tripathi launched his latest novel The Chola Tigers: Avengers of Somnath at Crossword in Mumbai.**
- **David Lammy has been appointed Deputy Prime Minister and Justice Secretary of the United Kingdom.**
- **Tamil Nadu honoured 396 teachers with the Dr. Radhakrishnan Award on the occasion of Teachers' Day 2025.**
- **India has certified its first telecom system powered entirely by indigenous semiconductor chips.**
- **Union Minister Sarbananda Sonowal laid the foundation stone for India's first green methanol bunkering facility at VOC Port in Thoothukudi.**
- **India has synthesized a rare anti-doping reference material, Methandienone Long-Term Metabolite (LTM), in a collaborative effort between NIPER-Guwahati and NDTL.**
- **India is finalizing a comprehensive secure drone framework to eliminate the use of Chinese-origin components in defence UAVs.**
- **The Municipal Corporation of Delhi recorded a 20% year-on-year surge in property tax collections for FY 2024–25.**



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- All 152 flats under DDA's Apna Ghar Aawas Yojana were sold within an hour of launch on September 5, 2025.
- The Centre has allocated over ₹93,000 crore for 98 port development projects in Tamil Nadu under the SagarMala programme.
- Bihar CM Nitish Kumar inaugurated the Punpun Suspension Bridge, modeled after Lakshman Jhula, in Patna district.
- Union Minister Manohar Lal Khattar and Haryana CM Nayab Singh Saini laid the foundation stone for the 28.5 km Gurugram Metro extension.
- The Greater Chennai Corporation has started construction of a sponge park in Mathur MMDA Colony, Manali.
- India launched its first vulture knowledge portal titled The Vulture Network in Assam on September 2, 2025, to mark International Vulture Awareness Day.
- On September 4, 2025, PM Narendra Modi and Singapore's PM Lawrence Wong virtually inaugurated Phase-II of the PSA Mumbai Terminal at JNPA.



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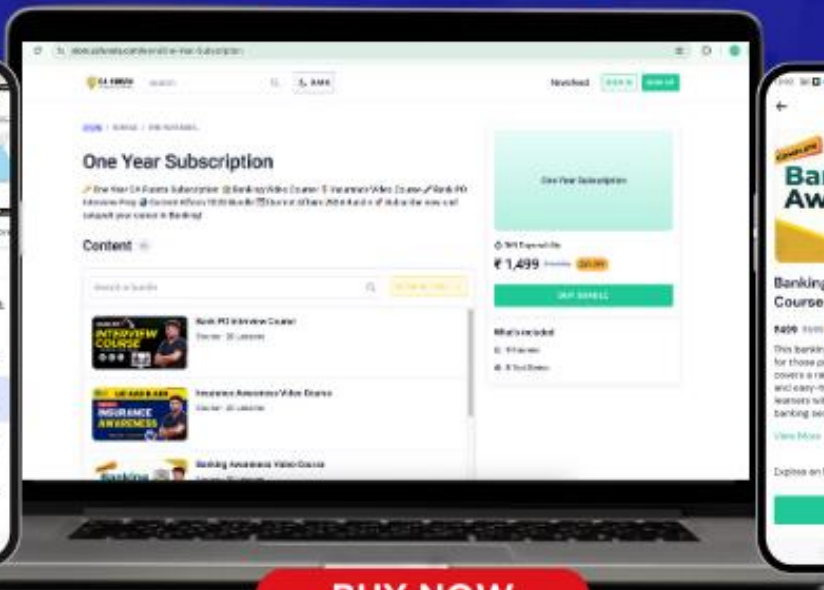
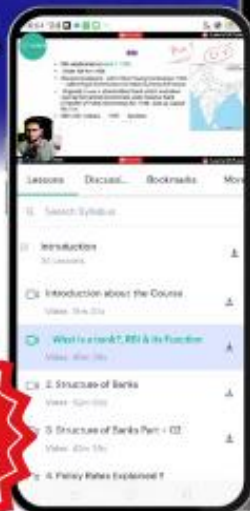


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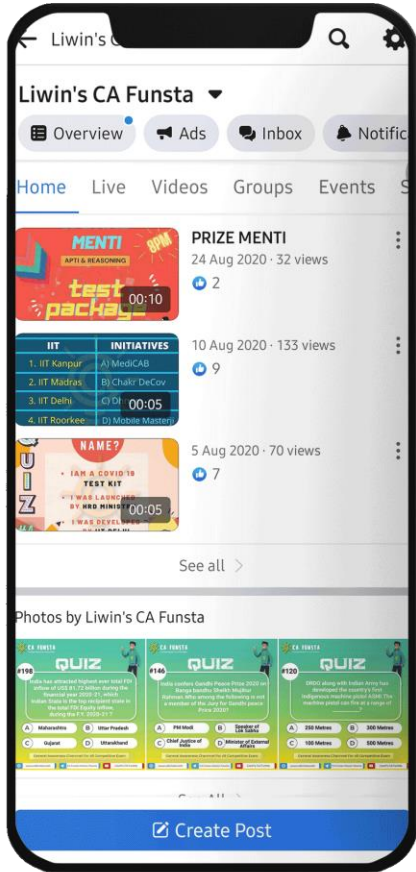
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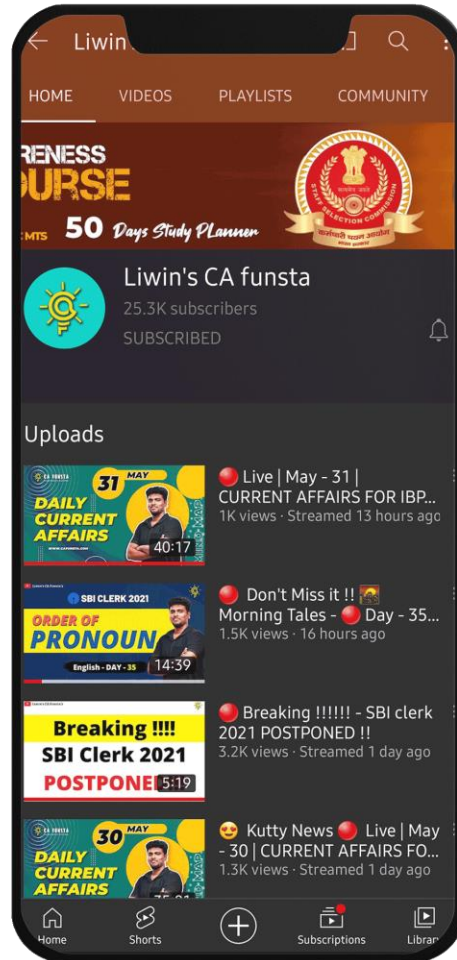


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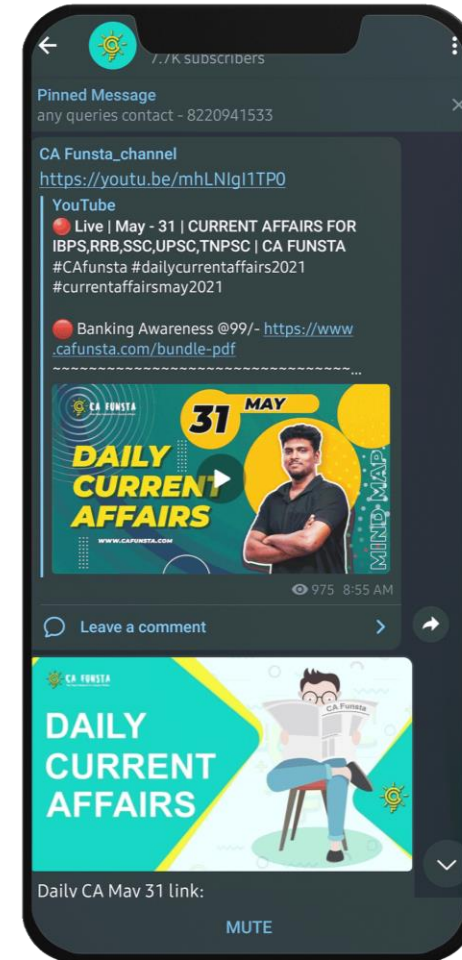
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